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The Magrath Creamery

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LOCAL BOYS JOIN FORESTRY CORPS

Fred Murrell, American, Jack Healey, American, and Frank O'Neill, Irish, enlisted last week with the Forestry company. They are now in Calgary undergoing training prior to going overseas. The son says well-known around town Murrell is a clever vaudeville entertainer, who has played the Pan-tages circuit. Healey was a piano player at the Rex theatre for some time and Frank O'Neill was the jolly young Irish tenor artist employed in T. E. Ott's parlor. They have all seen military service. Murrell was with the 8th U.S. cavalry, Healey with the Alberta Rifles and O'Neill in the U.S. Atlantic fleet.

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After Long Term Asst. P.M. Resigns Glines Succeeds.

Raymond will have a new postmaster after April 1st. Asst. D. G. Selman has resigned and Postmaster King has appointed A. E. Glines as his successor. The transfer will be made April 1st. Along with this announcement comes that of the moving of the post office to the Security block. All that is being avoided now is authority from Ottawa to make the change.

The retiring assistant postmaster Mr. Selman, has been in the public service about eight years. He has been a faithful and courteous public servant and has given excellent satisfaction. He is leaving the civil service to engage in farming. The new assistant is no doubt well qualified for the position and will likely give good service.

ATTENTION

As I am leaving April 4th for Chattanooga, Tenn. on a mission in behalf of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, it would be greatly appreciated if delinquent subscribers would call in and settle their accounts early next week. Yours truly,

F. C. STEELE.

CHANGE IN PUBLISHERS

The present management of the Leader ceases April 1st. A new editor will take over the paper and guide its destinies. The present publisher will engage in another line of activity and is being removed from Sunny Southern Alberta. It is almost three years since we took over the paper, and the measure of success that has attended our efforts must be indicated by our readers. Our associations in Raymond have been pleasant in most instances. They have in all instances been instructive.

And now we want to thank the business men of Raymond for their support. It has been appreciated. Also, the business men of Magrath. For the past eighteen months our Garden City friends have rallied to our support splendidly. We further wish to thank our subscribers. Since taking over the paper our audience has practically doubled, and we have addressed them every week. The paper has never missed a week except during a brief vacation once a year. The paper is now in better shape than at any time in its history. It is carrying more advertising and its subscription list has increased fifty percent. Our successor will, therefore, have a good start.

We would like to draw attention to the campaign for greater production being carried on by the federal government department of agriculture. It is Dominion-wide and should appeal to every man, woman and child. Grow something of food value. Join the Nation's Army of Production. Write for valuable booklets to the Information Bureau, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Messrs. Skelton, Lamb and Snow returned Saturday evening from the annual convention of the Alberta Women's Institutes held at Calgary. They report a most beneficial and enthusiastic convention. While in the city they were guests at the Palliser.

Next Tuesday the M. I. A. district try-outs will be held in the Taylor stake Raymond first ward contestants go to Lethbridge and the second ward to Magrath.

WELLING MAN BADLY INJURED

Adam Peterson, a popular young Welling man, met with a terrible accident last Tuesday when he fell headlong into a hay press. The skull was badly fractured and the face lacerated in several places. He was taken home, where Dr. Greenaway administered temporary aid. An operation was performed by Drs. Lovering and Greenaway in the Galt hospital that evening. The young man came through the operation well, and his physicians hold out strong hopes of recovery. Adam Peterson was one of the most prominent and generally liked young men of the Welling district. He is a brother of Bp. Peter.

"THE BARRIER"

To most readers of fiction of the last ten years, "The Barrier" has been a rare treat. The play which Eugene Froberg's dramatization of Rex Beach's novel, is full to the brim with vigorous action and stirring climaxes. The story is too well known to Northwest readers to need recapitulation. Suffice it to say that the dramatized version, which will be seen at the opera house Wednesday Mar. 28, loses nothing of the virility which makes such a strong impress on the feelings of any who read the book.

son. His numerous friends here and at Welling were shocked when they heard of his misfortune. His mother has arrived from Utah and is with her son.

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Bylaw No. 89

OF THE TOWN OF MAGRATH

A Bylaw to authorize the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Magrath to execute an Agreement with the CRANE-CASSIDY ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED for supplying electric energy to the said Town and inhabitants.

WHEREAS the Crane-Cassidy Electric Company Limited has offered to supply the Town of Magrath and inhabitants thereof with electric energy for power and illuminating purposes upon certain terms; and

WHEREAS the Council of the said Town is desirous of obtaining electric energy for the said Town and inhabitants; and

WHEREAS the said Crane-Cassidy Electric Company Limited and the Council of the Town have agreed upon the terms and conditions upon which the said Company will supply electric energy to the said Town of Magrath and inhabitants thereof if the said terms and conditions are approved of by the ratepayers of the said Town and have embodied the same in the agreement set forth in Schedule "A" hereto attached; and

WHEREAS it is agreed that the said agreement shall be executed on behalf of the said Town by the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer;

NOW THEREFORE, the Mayor and Municipal Council of the Town of Magrath enact as follows:

That the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Magrath are hereby authorized to affix the seal of the Town to the said agreement set forth in Schedule "A" hereto attached and to execute the same on behalf of the said Town as soon as the same is ratified and agreed to by the vote of two-thirds of the burgesses of the Town of Magrath voting thereon.

DONE and PASSED in Council this day of A.D. 1917.

Mayor.

Secy.-Treas.

READ a second time this day of A.D. 1917.

Mayor.

Secy.-Treas.

READ a third time and FINALLY PASSED this day of A.D. 1917.

Mayor.

Secy.-Treas.

I, Melvin Godfrey, the undersigned Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Magrath, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of By-Law No. 89 of the Town of Magrath.

3-17-3 Melvin Godfrey, Secy.-Treas.

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J. L. Gibb & Son

Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given, that the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Raymond for the year 1916 will be confirmed at the Sittings of the District Court of the District of Lethbridge to be held at the Town Hall at the Town of Raymond on Tuesday the 4th day of September, 1917, commencing at the hour of 10 A. M.

Dated at Raymond, in the Province of Alberta, this 14th day of March, 1917.

S. FARNHAM KIMBALL,
Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Raymond. 3-17-13

Joseph Harker has again taken over the Magrath Creamery and will have full management of the plant once more.

The anniversary of the Women's Relief Society was fittingly observed in Magrath last Saturday. An excellent program was held in the afternoon, followed by refreshments. There was a large attendance and the exercises were both instructive and entertaining. In the evening all united in an old-time dance until 11 o'clock.

The program rendered was as follows:

Opening Address—Mrs. D. R. Thomas. Solo—Mrs. J. A. Ririe.

Duet—Mrs. Anna Gibb and Mrs. Anna Johnson.

Reading—Mrs. Frank Cook.

Duet—Messdames Jos. Evans and Smith Ackroyd.

Life of Pres. Emmonille B. Wells—Mrs. A. J. Mercer.

Clarinet solo—Frank Rich.

Objects of the Relief Society—Mrs. J. W. Evans.

At a recent meeting of the South Alberta Woodgrowers' association held at Lethbridge, Bishop Harker was again elected president. The sheepsman vigorously grappled with the question of a summer range, and it is hoped the government will speedily come to the rescue of this great branch of the agricultural industry, especially in view of the crying need of the emigrants for increased production in all lines. There is strong talk now of fifty-cent wool this year.

Last night the play, "The Town Marshall," was staged in aid of the Red Cross. Over three hundred tickets were sold and a full house enjoyed this very creditably produced comedy drama of northwest town rural life.

Amos Peterson and J. W. Evans promoters of extensive mining claims in British Columbia, have been in Utah for several weeks on business.

The council held one of the shortest sessions of its history Wednesday night. The only matter of business was the reading of the electric light bylaw a second time.

Lynn Gibb, who has been in Winnipeg working and studying all winter, is home on a visit with his parents here.

As the present editor is leaving for a mission shortly, it is desired that on Magrath subscribers, who still owe for the paper, will call at the post office and settle for their paper there. The change in management does not mean that the Magrath news will be discontinued, as the page will appear as usual.

As a conclusion to the series of block meetings held throughout the Magrath ward during the past month, a meeting was held in the L.D.S. church Wednesday evening. The church was well filled and a spirited service was held. It is felt the meeting will do much to more thoroughly unite the ward.

Bishop Harker was a business visitor to Warner last Thursday. His sheep camps are located east of that point.

W. T. Pacey bought a new Chevrolet this week through the Searle agency.

Announcements are made public that Strong and Dowler, of Calgary, contemplate building a line of elevators along the Cardston branch this summer, with F. W. Karen in charge.

The Magrath Women's Institute meeting will be held March 28th in the town hall at three o'clock. The following program will be rendered: Talk, Mary Evans; solo, Irene Evans; Report from Delegates to the Calgary convention; demonstration by Mrs. Geddes.

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SUCCESS

He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much; who has gained the trust of pure women and the love of little children; who has filled his niche with honor; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem or a rescued soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauties or failed to express it; who has always looked for the best in others and given the best he had; whose life was an inspiration, whose memory a benediction.—B. A. Stanley.

RUSSIA'S NEW BIRTH

After four hundred years of autocracy under the Romanoff house, the Russian nation has thrown off the fetters that have bound them in cruel and ignorant subjection, and created the nucleus of a resplendent republic. The revolution was the shortest and most bloodless in history. It broke like a bolt from the blue, although it has been known for some time that all was not well in Petrograd. The immediate cause of the revolution was the secret intrigues between the royal courts of Petrograd and Berlin, the two households being closely connected by family ties and traditions. There was treachery in the very heart of official Russia, finally forcing the leaders of the drama to take extreme revolutionary measures.

The revolt is one of the most remarkable and far-reaching in the history of the world. Its effect upon European affairs, both political and industrial, cannot now be forecasted. An empire of teeming millions, endowed with unlimited natural resources, suddenly released like an imprisoned bird, into a new world, will arouse in the Russian people an infinite joy that will spur them on to undreamed of achievements. Here indeed is a nation "born in a day." With a glorious Magna Charta of Liberty, Russia turns from the icy blackness of the past to a future, warm and radiant with new hopes and lofty aspirations.

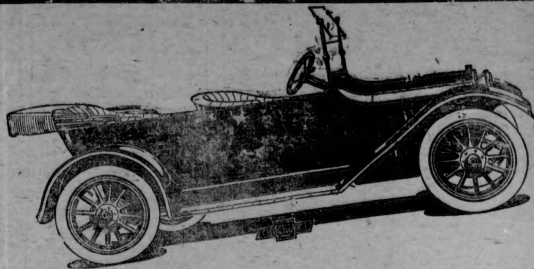
Will this revolution of ideas—for such it fundamentally is—end in Russia. It is not likely. The torch has been lighted. Autocracy is doomed. A new and grander day is rising on the world. The masses are becoming conscious of their power. And when they realize that it is irresistible, God help any obstacle that stands in its way. To a close observer the signs of the times are very plain. But the march of world events is so natural that people often fail to see the relationship one event bears to the other in the great scheme of things. This point however, is written boldly on the unfolding world drama, that events are swiftly moving toward a great climax. The harvest time of the world is at hand. It therefore behooves one to set his house in order. Where will you stand when this day comes? when the Great Eternal Father shall speak from the heavens, and the Son shall come in the brightness of His glory.

For He cometh quickly, and the liberation of the Russians, is one of the signs that the Millennium—the theme of prophet and poet in all ages—draws near.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Pack returned recently from a most pleasant holiday in Utah.

President H. B. Allen left last week for a three-weeks' visit to Utah. He will remain in the south until after conference.

A farewell social was given in the second ward church last Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Esther Christensen, who is leaving for Utah, where she will be married. The Primary association gave the party.



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OTTAWA

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HON. MARTIN BURRELL, Minister.

On April 10, 11 and 12 the eight annual convocation of the Alberta Educational Association will be held in the First Baptist Church, Calgary. Raymond teachers contemplate attending in a body. The program is a very comprehensive one.

J. V. Alfred's neat cottage in the south west of town is now about finished.

TONIGHT

RED CROSS CONCERT

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND
FARM MORTGAGE
CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT